GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:620
ANSWERED ON:22.11.2000
BANSAGAR IRRIGATION PROJECT
KANTILAL BHURIA

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Bansagar Inter-state Irrigation Project is being monitored by the Union Government;

(b) if so, whether the State Governments of Uttar Pradesh and Bihar are not being paid their share cost for the completion of the project;

(c) whether the Union Government propose to direct these State Governments to pay their share cost at the earliest; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SMT. BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY)

(a) Yes Sir.

(b) The Bansagar Irrigation Project isa n inter- state project of Madhya Pradesh, Uttar Pradesh and Bihar. Theproject i s being executed by the state of Madhya Pradeshunder the direction and control of Bansagar Control Board. The cost of the project is being shared by the Governments of MP, UP and Biharin the ratio of 2:1:1. The State Governments of Uttar Pradeshand Bihar have paid their share up to September, 2000 in excess of their due share.

(c) and (d) Do not arise.